

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

PATENT
APPLICATION

In re PATENT APPLICATION of
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Title: THE PROCESS FOR PRODUCING ALUMINUM OXIDE BEADS

Asst. Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

1. **NOTICE OF APPEAL:** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated _____ of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claim(s) in this application or in this application and its parent application.
2. **BRIEF** on appeal in this application attached in triplicate (extendable up to 5 months)
3. An ORAL HEARING is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer- unextendable)
4. Reply Brief is attached in triplicate (due two months after Examiner's Answer - unextendable).
5. "Small entity" verified statement filed: herewith. previously.

6. FEE CALCULATION

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